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GWA Debate Team Shows Future Promise with Novice Performances

The GWA Debate had an outstanding showing at the Stratford Invitational this past Saturday in Macon. The first-year duo of **Glenn Jacoby** and **Brittani Haag** took first place in the novice division. Haag was named third best speaker of the tournament. **Zach Richards** and **Jarrett Chai** also competed in the novice division. Juniors, **Michael Buice** and **Alex Dodson** were lone varsity debaters. The debate team will conclude its GISA season at the state meet at Mercer University in Macon in January.

[Wrestling Results Click Here](#)

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Annual Loyalty Fund Update

To date we have received \$158,395 in gifts towards our goal of \$500,000. The Development Office will be closed after 1:00 pm on December 18th. Donations received during the holiday break will be processed upon our return in January. **Tax letters will be dated according to the postmark date.** Thank you for sending in your early gift!



Box Tops Fall Winners

We had one of the largest Box Tops Turn Ins in October. The following students won special recognition for turning in the largest number of Box Tops:

First Place: **Macy Bell**

Second Place: **Alexa Richardson**

Third Place: **Brooks & James Wesley Martin**

Next Box Tops Turn in Date is February 12.



Upper School art classes celebrate the holidays with fabulous gingerbread houses that are donated for the community to enjoy.

Soccer Tournament Sponsors Needed

GWA is hosting our first annual Middle School Soccer tournament on **February 19 and 20**. The teams are looking for business or family sponsors to make a minimum donation of \$50 to offset costs and, in exchange, have their name printed on a tee-shirt to be sold at the tournament.

Please contact Shannon Thompson at sthompson@gwa.com to sponsor this event.